UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY NEWARK DIVISION

IN RE: REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL
ASSISTANCE FROM THE NATIONAL
COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE IN CIVIL
MATTERS NO. 41 IN BUENOS AIRES,
ARGENTINA IN THE MATTER OF
ELIZALDE IRMA RIBEIRO

CASE NO.

APPLICATION FOR ORDER PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1782(a)

The United States of America, by and through counsel, petitions this Court for an Order pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1782(a), appointing Katerina Ossenova, Senior Trial Counsel, at the U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division, Office of Foreign Litigation, Commissioner for the purpose of obtaining bank records from Pershing LLC. Certain information has been requested by the National Court of First Instance in Civil Matters No. 41 in Buenos Aires ("Argentine Court"), pursuant to a Letter of Request issued by the Argentine Court in connection with a civil judicial proceeding captioned in the *Matter of Elizalde Irma Ribeiro*, Foreign Reference Number 739/2022.

The grounds for this Application are more fully articulated in the Memorandum of Law that has been simultaneously filed with the Application. A proposed Order is also provided for the convenience of the Court.

Dated: May 25, 2022 Respectfully submitted,

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